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1. DURING NOVEMBER 20 TALK I RAISED WITH PRESIDENT DUVALIER THE QUESTION OF A LAND GRANT FOR BINATIONAL CENTER, POINTING OUT THAT SOME MONTHS HAD PASSED SINCE LAST WORD ABOUT ACQUIRING PROPOSED SITE, THE HOTEL EXCELSIOR.

2. PRESIDENT REPLIED THAT OWNERS WERE ASKING AN INACCEPTABLY HIGH SUM--$80,000--FOR HOTEL. HOWEVER, HE REALIZED IMPORTANCE OF GETTING ON WITH MATTER AND PROMISED TO INSTRUCT PUBLIC WORKS MINISTER PETIT TO LOCATE A SUITABLE SITE FOR BNC.

3. I LEFT WITH PRESIDENT AIDE-MEMOIRE OUTLINING NEED FOR LARGER PERMANENT QUARTERS TO ELIMINATE BURDEN OF PAYING RISING RENTS AND TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO INCREASE PAID ENROLLMENTS IN RESPONSE TO STEADY DEMANDS FOR ENGLISH INSTRUCTION AND TO HAITI'S GROWING NEEDS FOR ACCESS TO WORLD SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND CULTURE (COPY BEING POUCHED DEPT AND USIA).
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